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The House met at 11:30 a.m. and was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. TRONE).

DESIGNATION OF THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Speaker:

WASHINGTON, DC,

March 23, 2020.

I hereby appoint the Honorable DAVID J. TRONE to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

NANCY PELOSI,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

PRAYER

Reverend Michael Wilker, Lutheran Church of the Reformation, Washington, D.C., offered the following prayer:

God our shepherd, You provide all we need: green pasture, safe waters, and protected paths. Even though we move through the valley of the shadow of death, we shall fear no evil, You are with us, You protect and comfort us.

Thank You for the shepherds among us, especially for healthcare workers whose care for others puts them at risk. Grant them wisdom, clarity and rest.

When our anxiety about disease turns into fear of our neighbors, forgive us. When fear constricts our hearts and compassion dries up, renew us. When exhaustion and scarcity cloud our judgment, lead us.

Encourage us to protect those most vulnerable, especially those who are sick, isolated, imprisoned, unemployed, or without shelter.

Shepherd the House of Representatives. Guide the Members along right pathways. Always alert to the reality of the threats facing us, give our leaders calm assurance and abiding trust in You.

Amen.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 7(a) of House Resolution 891, the Journal of the last day's proceedings is approved.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair will lead the House in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The SPEAKER pro tempore led the Pledge of Allegiance as follows:

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 4 of rule I, the following enrolled bill was signed by Speaker pro tempore Brown of Maryland on Friday, March 20, 2020:

S. 3503, a bill to authorize the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to treat certain programs of education converted to distance learning by reason of emergencies and health-related situations in the same manner as programs of education pursued at educational institutions, and for other purposes.

RECESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 12(a) of rule I, the Chair declares the House in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

Accordingly (at 11 o'clock and 33 minutes a.m.), the House stood in recess.

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AFTER RECESS

The recess having expired, the House was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. TRONE) at 8 o'clock and 15 minutes p.m.

SENATE ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

The Speaker pro tempore, Mr. BROWN of Maryland, on Friday, March 20, 2020, announced his signature to an enrolled bill of the Senate of the following title:

S. 3503.—A bill to authorize the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to treat certain programs of education converted to distance learning by reason of emergencies and health-related situations in the same manner as programs of education pursued at educational institutions, and for other purposes.

BILLS PRESENTED TO THE PRESIDENT

Cheryl L. Johnson, Clerk of the House, reported that on March 9, 2020, she presented to the President of the United States, for his approval, the following bills:

H.R. 5214. To amend title 5, United States Code, to prevent fraud by representative payees.

H.R. 5671. To award a Congressional Gold Medal, collectively, to the United States Merchant Mariners of World War II, in recognition of their dedicated and vital service during World War II.

Cheryl L. Johnson, Clerk of the House, further reported that on March 16, 2020, she presented to the President of the United States, for his approval, the following bills:

H.R. 1365. To make technical corrections to the Guam World War II Loyalty Recognition Act.

H.R. 4334. To amend the Older Americans Act of 1965 to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 2020 through 2024, and for other purposes.

H.R. 4803. To facilitate the automatic acquisition of citizenship for lawful permanent resident children of military and Federal

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Government personnel residing abroad, and for other purposes.

ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 7(b) of House Resolution 891, the House stands adjourned until noon tomorrow.

Thereupon (at 8 o'clock and 15 minutes p.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until Tuesday, March 24, 2020, at noon.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 2 of rule XIV, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

4162. A letter from the Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's non-major final rule — TRICARE; Addition of Physical Therapist Assistants and Occupational Therapy Assistants as TRICARE-Authorized Providers [Docket ID: DOD-2018-HA-0028] (RIN: 0720-AB72) received March 12, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Armed Services.

4163. A letter from the Acting Director, U.S. Agency for International Development, transmitting the Agency's non-major final rule — U.S. Agency for International Development Acquisition Regulation (AIDAR): Designation of Personal Services Contractors (PSCs) as Contracting Officers and Agreement Officers (RIN: 0412-AA94) received March 7, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

4164. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice, transmitting the Department's non-major final rule — DNA-Sample Collection From Immigration Detainees [Docket No.: OAG-164; AG Order No.: 4646-2020] (RIN: 1105-AB56) received March 13, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions of the following titles were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. HECK (for himself, Mr. KILMER, Ms. DELBENE, and Mr. SMITH of Washington):

H.R. 6314. A bill to provide emergency rental assistance under the Emergency Solutions Grants program of the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development in response to the public health emergency resulting from the coronavirus, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. CASTRO of Texas (for himself and Mr. GUTHRIE):

H.R. 6315. A bill to provide administrative support and flexibility to the Corporation for National and Community Service to respond to the COVID-19 national emergency as declared by the President under the National Emergencies Act (50 U.S.C. 1601 et seq.) on March 13, 2020, with respect to the coronavirus; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Ms. DEAN:

H.R. 6316. A bill to provide relief for Federal and private student loan borrowers dur-

ing the COVID-19 pandemic, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor, and in addition to the Committees on Financial Services, and Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. DOGGETT (for himself, Ms. DEGETTE, Ms. WILD, Mr. BRENDAN F. BOYLE of Pennsylvania, Mr. MICHAEL F. DOYLE of Pennsylvania, Mr. EVANS, Mr. CISNEROS, Mr. DEUTCH, Ms. VELÁZQUEZ, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. KHANNA, Ms. CASTOR of Florida, Mr. CASTRO of Texas, Mr. VARGAS, Mr. CONNOLLY, Mrs. HAYES, Mr. TRONE, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mrs. FLETCHER, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Ms. MOORE, Mr. ALLRED, Mr. CUELLAR, Ms. JOHNSON of Texas, Ms. SEWELL of Alabama, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. LEWIS, Ms. GARCIA of Texas, Ms. MUCARSEL-POWELL, Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. NADLER, Ms. SHALALA, Mr. BEYER, Mr. SCHNEIDER, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. CRIST, Ms. SPANBERGER, Mr. SOTO, Mr. LAWSON of Florida, Ms. PORTER, Mr. RYAN, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. NEGUSE, Ms. WILSON of Florida, Mrs. DINGELL, Mr. HASTINGS, Mr. COHEN, Mr. CLAY, Mr. CÁRDENAS, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mrs. TORRES of California, Ms. ESCOBAR, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, Mr. WELCH, Mr. SEAN PATRICK MALONEY of New York, Ms. PRESSLEY, Mr. SIRE, Ms. DAVIDS of Kansas, Ms. SPEIER, Ms. ADAMS, Mr. TED LIEU of California, Ms. KUSTER of New Hampshire, Ms. TORRES SMALL of New Mexico, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. COX of California, Mr. POCAN, Ms. PINGREE, and Ms. OMAR):

H.R. 6317. A bill to provide for special enrollment periods during public health emergencies, coverage of services related to public health emergencies, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Education and Labor, and Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Ms. KELLY of Illinois:

H.R. 6318. A bill to expand economic opportunities, improve community policing, and promote common-sense gun violence prevention in underserved communities, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committees on Education and Labor, Financial Services, Ways and Means, Small Business, Oversight and Reform, Agriculture, Rules, and Energy and Commerce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. PHILLIPS:

H.R. 6319. A bill to establish a Congressional COVID-19 Aid Oversight Panel, to authorize the Special Inspector General for the Troubled Asset Relief Program to coordinate audits and investigations in connection with the receipt of Federal aid related to COVID-19, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. VEASEY:

H.R. 6320. A bill to amend the Small Business Act to increase caps on sole source contract awards to certain small business concerns, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Small Business.

By Ms. WATERS:

H.R. 6321. A bill to provide financial protections and assistance for America's con-

sumers, States, businesses, and vulnerable populations during the COVID-19 emergency and to recover from the emergency; to the Committee on Financial Services, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, Education and Labor, Small Business, the Judiciary, and Agriculture, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. TAKANO (for himself, Mr. DAVID P. ROE of Tennessee, Mr. CASTRO of Texas, Ms. BLUNT ROCHESTER, Ms. BROWNLEY of California, Ms. NORTON, Mr. RUSH, Mrs. BUSTOS, Mr. CARBAJAL, Mr. PETERS, Mr. SCHNEIDER, Mr. CROW, Mr. PAPPAS, Mr. CISNEROS, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Mr. ALLRED, Mrs. LEE of Nevada, Mr. PANETTA, Ms. JAYAPAL, Mr. CÁRDENAS, Mr. LAMBORN, Mr. GOLDEN, Mr. NEGUSE, Mr. SABLON, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Miss RICE of New York, and Mr. LEVIN of California):

H.R. 6322. A bill to make certain improvements in the educational assistance benefits under the laws administered by the Secretary of Veterans Affairs in the case of changes to courses of education by reason of emergency situations, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs, and in addition to the Committee on Armed Services, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Ms. STEVENS (for herself, Mr. BALDERSON, and Ms. BONAMICI):

H.R. 6323. A bill to waive, for 1 year, the cost sharing requirements of the Hollings Manufacturing Extension Partnership, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

By Mr. PAPPAS (for himself, Mr. ROSE of New York, Ms. KENDRA S. HORN of Oklahoma, Ms. NORTON, Mr. CARSON of Indiana, Ms. WILD, Ms. MUCARSEL-POWELL, Mr. PANETTA, Mrs. HAYES, Ms. KUSTER of New Hampshire, and Ms. PINGREE):

H.R. 6324. A bill to amend the Small Business Act to provide no interest rate loans to small businesses and non-profit entities impacted by the coronavirus (COVID-19), and for other purposes; to the Committee on Small Business.

By Mr. PAPPAS:

H.R. 6325. A bill to allow a tax credit for certain coronavirus-related charitable contributions for taxable year 2020; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. CLEAVER:

H.R. 6326. A bill to provide additional waivers and authorities to HUD and USDA to respond to the COVID-19 emergency, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. CLEAVER:

H.R. 6327. A bill to authorize United States participation in, and contributions to, the Nineteenth Replenishment of the resources of the International Development Association, the Fifteenth Replenishment of the resources of the African Development Fund, and the seventh capital increase of the African Development Bank; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Ms. TLAIB (for herself, Ms. PRESSLEY, Ms. OCASIO-CORTEZ, Mr. SAN NICOLAS, Ms. NORTON, Ms. JAYAPAL, Mr. RASKIN, Mr. LEVIN of Michigan, Mr. GARCÍA of Illinois, Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York, Ms. OMAR, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Mr. CARSON of Indiana, Mrs. WATSON